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MONTPELIER

Lake Wapanacki Trout Club Incorporates with \$5,000 Capital Stock.

For the purpose of maintaining fish and game preserves in the towns of Wolcott and Hardwick, and to erect a club house, articles of association were filed to-day by the Lake Wapanacki Trout club, Inc., with capital stock of \$5,000 divided into 100 shares. The office of the club will be at Hardwick. The incorporators are W. H. Taylor, E. M. Crane, James A. Gallagher, Earl R. Welch, Frank D. Taylor, George James, Melvin N. Morse and Charles T. Pierce.

John Nelson of the John Nelson Construction Co., of this city, left last night for Syracuse, N. Y., being a bidder for the contract to erect a building for the University club, a job which it is estimated will cost about \$50,000.

Probate Judge Frank Tuttle of Vergennes and Edgar F. Tuttle of Denver, Col., called to the city last week by the death of their father, John Tuttle, left this forenoon for Vergennes, having been the guests of C. M. Bennett of Barre street while in the city.

Attorney John W. Redmond left this forenoon for his home in Newport, having represented the defendant in the case of George Milne vs. E. R. Fletcher.

Mrs. James F. Kelleher of North street went to-day to Burlington for a brief visit with relatives.

The divorce case of Ethel Tracy vs. Oscar Tracy, entered yesterday in county court, has been discontinued.

The regular meeting of the city council will be held this evening and Mayor Boutwell will probably place before the alderman his choice of names for the various heads of city departments, including water superintendent, fire chief, city engineer and overseer of the poor.

John Mee, a former resident of the city, who has been located in various parts of the country for the past three years, arrived in the city yesterday for an indefinite visit.

Miss Caroline Griswold and Miss Rose Lucia went to-day to Burlington for a brief visit.

SOUTH BARRE.

Regular meeting of South Barre grange will be held Thursday evening, March 23. The program will be the first in the contest and given by the ladies. The committee in charge is Mrs. Carrie Towne, Mrs. Mabel Camp and Mrs. Rose Huse.

TOPSHAM

A few of the friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Eastman gathered at their hospitable home on Friday last to help them celebrate the 25th anniversary of their married life. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by all present and we are sure that the hosts of friends of this estimable couple join in extending best wishes for many years more of happiness and prosperity.

Mrs. Maria Wormwood, after several months of failing health, passed away at the home of her son, George, in Watertown, Mass., on Thursday, March 16. The remains were brought here and the funeral was held from the U. P. church on Sunday at 1:30 o'clock. Rev. John Lytle of South Ryegate officiated, assisted by Rev. J. C. Wright. Interment was in the family lot in the village cemetery.

Mrs. Jimmie Welch is very low with pneumonia. She is attended by Dr. Nathan Caldwell of Groton and Miss Arlene McDonald, a trained nurse, from St. Johnsbury is caring for her.

Cleveland Hood was in Woodsville, N. H., last Saturday.

Mrs. Betsey Currier and granddaughter, Marie McKay, are stopping a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Hoar.

Mrs. Heath is ill with grip. Dr. Caldwell was called to see her last Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth Thompson of East Corinth is stopping with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. White, as her mother is very sick.

We are sorry to learn of the serious illness of M. G. Kezer at his home in West Fairlee.

Myron Powers has gone to Groton to work in the family of Stephen Ralston.

Mrs. Jennie (Eastman) Crown of Woodsville, N. H., had the misfortune to fall on the ice last Saturday, breaking both bones in her leg below the knee. All wish for her a speedy recovery.

Those from out of town attending the funeral of Mrs. Maria Wormwood were: Mr. and Mrs. George Wormwood of Watertown, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wormwood of Lunenburg, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Taplin, J. B. McLam of South Ryegate, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. and Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop T. Jackson of East Corinth.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Currier went to South Ryegate last Friday night to attend the banquet given by the Baraca and Mizpah classes of the U. P. Sunday school, remaining with friends until Sunday.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Best value shirts at \$1. Lamorey's. R. S. Currier was a business visitor in Calais to-day.

Mrs. John Dow of Williamstown visited friends in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Carroll Dutton of Williamstown was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Miss Carrie Bover has returned to her home in Northfield, after spending several days with friends in Barre.

Misses Marjorie and Evelyn Moore of Plainfield are guests for a few days at the home of H. S. Parks of King street.

Miss Mildred Grosvenor, who has been visiting relatives in the city for a few days, returned yesterday to her home in Williamstown.

Paul Wells of Northfield, who recently completed a term of school in Worcester, is spending a few days with friends in Barre and vicinity.

Ladies of St. Monica's church realized a tidy sum from a rummage sale held in the emergency room at city hall Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Randolph Lang, who has been spending several days in the Barre granite belt on business, returned this forenoon to his home in Rome, N. Y.

Private sale of Croft and Kenyon stock now going on. Step in and you'll buy when you see the many bargains. D. A. Perry, assignee.

Come and see our second-hand sewing machines, \$2 up, also nearly new sewing machines at \$1 down and \$2 per month, at the Singer Store, 10 Elm street.

W. H. Gilchrist of Melrose Falls and H. W. Buchanan of Barton Landing were guests of Vincenza lodge, No. 10, Knights of Pythias, at the meeting last evening.

A regular meeting of T. S. No. 2, branch G. C. I. A., will be held in their hall, Nichols block, Wednesday evening, March 22, at 7 o'clock. P. H. Brown, secretary.

Charles H. Northrop of Merchant street, who has been confined to the house for several weeks, following a relapse from a severe attack of bronchitis early in the winter, is again in charge of his trucking business.

Mrs. Harold Mather, who has been making an extended visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bradford, of South Main street, left to-day for Springfield, Mass., where she will join her husband who is employed in that place.

A complete change of program at the Pavilion to-night, where the Frank E. Walsh Musical company will present "The Cabaret," a comedy full of new songs and dances. Three reels of the best pictures are shown at each performance, being changed every day.—adv.

Manager C. F. Miller of the Consolidated Light Co., has leased the cottages at 4 Cliff Street, owned by Martin Riley, and soon to be vacated by Alexander Youngson, who is going to New York to reside. Mr. Miller is to reside in the house with his mother, Mrs. C. C. Miller, who recently came to this city from Boston.

Seminary students will give an entertainment at the Universalist church vestry next Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Music by the Gossard orchestra, a real movie, a pot pourri of six languages, a reproduction of the last day of school in district No. 12 and several monologues, will make up the program. The March committee of the ladies' union will serve ice cream.

Oldtime bowlers in Barre are to meet this evening to ascertain the prospects of reorganizing the champion alley team that flourished here several years ago. A number of the high rollers who figured in the big strings of former days have left the city. Others have passed away, but there remains a nucleus around which it is thought that a strong team may be built. Among the men now living in Barre who were identified with the champions are John T. Averill, J. Edward Walsh, Henry Nute and Walter Douglas.

Equipment used for several years in the Dreamland theatre in the Arcade block on North Main street is being transported to a car in the Barre & Chelsea railroad yard, whence it is to be shipped to Westerville for use in a theatre. It is stated that Atto Marriani, proprietor of the Bijou theatre, is to transfer his picture business from the Scampini block to the Arcade, but not before major alterations have been made to the interior of the Dreamland theatre. Mr. Marriani proposes to continue in the show business with the Bijou as the name of his picture house. It is also stated that the vacant store in the southeast corner of the Arcade building has been leased to the Diversi Fruit Co., which will vacate its quarters in the A. Tomasi block within a few weeks. Just what disposition will be made of the untenanted space in the Scampini and Tomasi blocks is not definitely known.

GRANITEVILLE.

At Granite Theatre Thursday, March 23, five reels of the European war, "Fighting in France," also a Charlie Chaplin comedy. Admission, 10c to all.—adv.

BARRE DAILY TIMES

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 1916.

The Weather

Snow to-night. Thursday local snows and colder; strong northeast to north winds, probably gales.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Job lots of white goods at Abbott's. Don't forget the annual spring supper of the Presbyterian church to be held on Saturday, April 1.

Miss Mary Cowie is detained from her duties in the Smith and Cummings bakery department by illness.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson and Mrs. James Smith left Monday for an extended visit in Salisbury, N. C.

A good line of silverware, jewelry, etc., the balance of the Croft and Kenyon stock, is now on private sale. Call in D. A. Perry, assignee.

Carroll's orchestra left yesterday afternoon for Burlington, where they furnished music for the Key and Serpent dance last evening and will play for a dance at the Sigma Phi fraternity house this evening.

If the necessary arrangements with the city council can be made, the first Presbyterian church will be pointed out to strangers in the city through the medium of guide signs to be erected at the corner of North Main and Seminary streets.

Announcement has been made of the next choral union concert to be held in Montpelier May 24 and 25. The management also state that more singers are needed and they will be glad to receive candidates at the rehearsal to be held in the library at Montpelier Tuesday night.

The Macabees will hold another of their public 900 and whist parties Friday evening at the K. of P. hall. Prizes for the highest and lowest score-cards will be given. A buffet lunch will be served at intermission on the European plan. Playing will commence at 7:30. Let all Macabees come and bring their friends.

Workmen have been engaged recently in razing the high smoke stack over the plant of the Harrison Granite Co. near Center street. High winds last week revealed the fact that the big funnel had a perceptibly dangerous leaning toward mother earth under pressure of a stiff gale.

It was decided to preclude the possibility of an accident by removing the stack in sections. It was one of the loftiest chimneys of its kind in the granite belt. Another stack will replace the one taken down.

When the time comes for furnishing each of Barre's licensed saloons with a posted list, there are some over 200 names that are to be proscribed before the names of persons are scanned. The City court records, dating from Nov. 1, 1915, are to contribute nearly 200 names of persons whose transgressions will place them without the pale. Persons guilty of subsequent offenses or classed as habitual drunkards are to be posted along with the names of those who have been receiving assistance from the city.

Among the visitors in the city yesterday and to-day were the following people: C. R. Smith of Bellows Falls, W. R. Leach of Waterbury, C. G. Maynard of Burlington, J. E. Remond of Springfield, H. W. Buchanan of Orleans, H. B. Sillon of Burlington, F. D. Cox of Albany, H. C. Rozier of Bennington, Miss A. E. Crozier of Heaton hospital, Montpelier, V. S. Quimby of White River Junction, R. B. Lang of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bonde of Danville, H. H. Hickok of Burlington, W. H. Gilchrist of Melrose and J. R. Gallivan of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Officer John S. Marley went to Granite street last night and arrested John Tassie on an intoxication charge. The respondent passed the night at police headquarters and this morning, when arraigned before Magistrate H. W. Scott in city court, he pleaded guilty to a subsequent offense. A fine of \$15 and costs amounting to \$6.05 were imposed and the respondent was ordered delivered into the custody of the probation officer for a period of six months. The court further decreed that the respondent should be committed to the state hospital in Waterbury for a period not to exceed six months.

After a long term of service in the street department, John Silver of River street has been permitted to lay down his pick and shovel. It is said of Silver that his memory is a map of every surface sewer outlet and water main opening in the city. When other methods failed to locate a desired opening in the winter, John's peculiar formula invariably solved the difficulty. Friends of the man who say they are sorry to see him leaving the department, argue that his retention would mean a saving to the city, inasmuch as his unfailing knowledge of sewer and water locations has often saved the city the expense of employing men to dig about until the openings have been discovered.

Rob Murphy proved himself equal to a trying situation and incidentally probably succeeded in saving the owners of the Sortwell estate block on Depot square from replacing a heavy plate glass window in the Ross barber shop this forenoon. Mr. Murphy was on the point of leaving the shop, where a delivery horse, attached to a pair of light sleds, came tearing up the street. Horse, sleds and especially a very threatening set of thills, which protruded beyond the nose of the steed, were making directly for the window, when Mr. Murphy, essaying a leap, caught the horse by the bridle and managed to deflect its course. Pedestrians aided him in quieting the animal until the driver caught up with his errand steed. It was said that a puffing locomotive in Depot square was responsible for the horse's mad flight.

A regular meeting of Loy-al Green Mountain lodge will be held in their hall this evening, March 23, at 7 o'clock. Let all members of the degree staff please be present. Per order N. G.

Regular meeting of Barre aerie, 1573, F. O. E., Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Initiation.

Special convocation St. Alde-mar commandery, No. 11, K. T., Thursday evening, March 23, at 7 o'clock. Work, red cross. Per order E. C.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—Lineotype operator at once; must be fast and clean permanent position. The Herald, Rutland, Vt.

WANTED—At once, a strong girl or woman for housework; work to be done in the morning. Call on Mrs. C. E. Lakin, Groton Road, Vt. 95.

ORANGE COUNTY

FARMERS' ASS'N NOTES

Notes for week ending March 18:

March 13, 14 and 15 there was held at Union village a short extension school, carried on jointly by the Windsor County Farm bureau and the Orange County Farmers' association under the auspices of the Union Village Farmers' club. Illustrated talks were given Monday and Tuesday evenings on barn construction and clean milk, orchard insects, boys' and girls' club work, and county agent work in Vermont. At the day sessions were discussed feeding cows and balancing rations, potato management, limes and liming, corn management, selection and care of seed, manures and fertilizers, orchard management and farm management. The attendance at the five sessions totaled 129, an average of 26. Five demonstrations for this coming season have been arranged by the two counties within two miles of this farmers' club. This school and the demonstration work illustrate how much more work can be carried on by a county organization in a section where there is a live farmers club to back the work and be interested in it than in those sections where everything is dependent on individual action. A grange could act similarly if it so desired. Are you doing your part to interest your community in a live working grange or farmers' club?

What is the matter with the maple sugar industry in Orange county? According to Commissioner Brigham's figures in his 1915 annual report only 32 per cent of the available trees in Orange county are tapped. In the state as a whole there are 53 per cent tapped. Outside of Grand Isle county, Orange county taps the smallest percentage of her trees of any county in the state. Usually such a fact as that indicates some strong economic reason why it is so. The county agent would like to have some explanations given on this point, as it seems to him that there is an opportunity for adding to the cash crops of the farm. Dairying alone is proving unprofitable. Some cash crop is needed with it. Why shouldn't the maple tree help to furnish that cash crop? Maple syrup and maple sugar are classed to-day as luxuries. If made as such, packed in attractive packages and guaranteed pure maple sugar or syrup it seems as though it ought to sell as such and at a price comparable with fancy candies and widely advertised syrups. It may mean extra work, but wouldn't \$1.50 per gallon for syrup and 25 to 50 cents per pound for sugar make it worth that trouble? And there are those who are getting these prices. Are you trying for these markets or are you satisfied with tobacco sugar prices and wholesale rates for an ungraded product? Is this the reason you are not tapping more of your trees? Can't we get together on this proposition and perhaps find some method whereby we can make a profitable use of our maple trees as a cash crop?

Summary for week ending March 18:

Farmers visited	4
Letters written	31
Office calls	9
Telephone calls	9
Meetings addressed	3
Attendance	32
Miles traveled	112

E. H. Loveland, County Agent.



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CARTER'S UNDERWEAR—Medium weight Vests and Pants.....50c value, 40c; 60c value, 48c
VELVET RIBBONS—Black and colors, at Wholesale Prices
CRETONNES—25c value.....20c
20c value.....16c
15c value.....12c

Henry W. Knight

Gordon Block, Next to N. D. Phelps Co.'s Phone 590

KILLED BY HIS OWN GUN.

William Parker of Albany was Shooting Rat in Barn.

St. Johnsbury, March 22.—William Parker, 72 years old, a farmer of Albany, was instantly killed yesterday by the accidental discharge of a gun. Parker was shooting rats in his barn when in some manner the weapon was accidentally discharged. He has two children in St. Johnsbury, Larius Parker and Mrs. Pearl Temple.

SOUTH WALDEN

Mrs. A. G. Robbins of west hill, Hardwick, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Newton, recently.

Mrs. W. W. Talbert of East Hardwick has been a guest at the home of her son, Royce Talbert.

Mrs. G. H. Newton, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Robbins, visited her daughter, Mrs. Leon Stewart, in East Hardwick last week Tuesday.

Mrs. Jennie Davidson of Hardwick and Mrs. Roland Chase of East Hardwick called on friends here the first of the week.

MORETOWN

Evelyn Griffith returned Saturday from a several days' stay with relatives in Montpelier.

A daughter, Beryl Leona, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Alger Monday, March 13.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ferris were in Montpelier Wednesday.

Otto Bates and Miss Maude Johnson of Montpelier were guests at F. E. Johnson's Sunday.

Mrs. M. S. Ward spent several days in Burlington last week.

Henry Jerome of Montpelier was in town Sunday.

G. H. Sleeper has been confined to his home the past week by illness.

The Moretown baseball team is making arrangements for a fair to be held at town hall on the evenings of the 20th and 31st of this month.

Mrs. M. S. Ward entertained her Sunday school class at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. D. C. Turner of Montpelier visited at the home of M. R. Child from Friday until Monday.

All wool blue serge suits, latest models, at \$12.50. Lamorey's.

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A few splendid Tan Pumps, were \$3.50 to \$4, for.....2.39

A few splendid Tan Pumps, were \$2.50, for.....1.89

A few splendid Tan Shoes, were \$2 to \$3.50, for......98

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SATEEN LINING—Fast Black and a full line of colors, usually selling at 25c per yard. This week, per yard.....21c

PERCALINES—Fast Black and the best colors; regular 15c quality. This week, yd. 12 1/2c

WHITE VOILE—45 inches wide, Special, per yard.....25c

ORGANDIES—45 inches wide, Special, per yard.....39c

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BATISTE—45 inches wide; Special, per yard.....35c

FLAXON—36 inches wide; Special, per yard.....25c and 35c

INDIA LINON—30 inches wide; per yard.....10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 18c, 25c

MANCHESTER PERCALES—36-inch; a large assortment of patterns; regularly sold at 12 1/2c per yard; Special this week, per yard.....10c

DRESS GINGHAMS—Standard make and a full line of patterns; Special this week, yd. 9c

24-INCH FLOUNCINGS—For infants' and children's dresses, per yard.....50c and 75c

VALENCIENNES LACES—Two special lots for this week's selling, per yard.....4c and 8c

SWISS EMBROIDERIES, EDGINGS AND INSERTIONS—Several widths; Special, this week, per yard.....8c, 10c, 12 1/2c and 19c

MALINES—Light Blue, Pink, Maize, White, Black and Green; regular price, 25c; this week, per yard.....19c

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